

## Women's New Coats

## Serge being the most favored

Either the fine twill "French" sort or the serge with a definite wale, simple, severely tailored, yet variation after variation of so-called "plain" with a world of style to their shapely lines. Some with the shawl collar, also sailor collar effects, the notch collar, etc.; colors, as well as the most popular navy and black, at

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Women's Short Coats of serge, plain tailored or with satin collar, excellent satin duchess lining; these extra good value for ............ \$12.50

Miller & Rhoads

Lower Main Street and

Rest of City.

Lower Main Street presents a vivid

While on a trip about the city, Mayor Fitzgerald commented on the

interest he called on the veteran hote

SWANSON GETS QUARTERS

Has Old Suite at Hichmond—Other Candidates Expected.

Senator Claude A. Swanson has en gaged rooms 302, 304, 306 and 308 or

gaged rooms 302, 304, 306 and 308 on the third floor of the Richmond Hotel as his headquarters for the senatorial campaign. This suite is the same as that occupied by the junior Senator during his campaign for Governor in

## QUARANTINE IN BOSTON'S MAYOR HENRICO COUNTY FINDS UGLY AREA

Two Weeks' Guard Around Struck With Contrast Between Home Where Smallpox Cases Were Found.

The Henrico county Board of Health, a special meeting yesterday, ordered e vaccination of all persons who may tye been exposed to the two smallpox

be for nearly three weeks. The recovery of both is said to be assured.

## Children Cry CASTORIA



of regrets and the roads of expense in the be-

Tin is best.

# old Bills Were Destroyed. The office of the City Coal Company, 2928 Dock Street, was rather badly damaged by fire last night, the loss being placed at \$200. The fire is believed to have originated from an overheated stove against a wall. It spread into the second floor and the roof, where the main damage was inflicted. None of the valuable papers were destroyed, as all had been placed in an iron safe. Some old bills were destroyed, however, and some debtors may be glad. Gordon Metal Co.

# Spent Nearly As Much Steamers 1 and 5 and Truck No. 2 responded under Chief Baffo. The building was insured for \$200.

As a new watch would cost, have you? Well, bring it to us. We'll fix it if it is fixable. Stop wasteful expense.

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Time Specialists, - - 612 East Main

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Our careful and painstaking way in which we handle could shirts will more than

ECLIPSE LAUNDRY GENTLEMEN'S WATCHES.

\*There is nothing more convenient or necessary than a faithful timepiece. We carry only the highest grade of Watches, in a carrer of styles and pat-

SCHWARZSCHILD BROS., Broad and Second Streets.

## Three Weeks of Recreation

Twin Screw Steamer-11,000 Tons.

Richmond Transfer Co. 809 East Main Street, Richmond, Va.

That Idea Were Under a Misapprehension.

Hospital Last Year Furnished Municipal Lighting Plant De- Chief Deputy, Absent From Citizens Free Treatment Amounting to \$5,751.

secretary and treasurer of Memorial Hospital Corporation since its foundareport that some members of the Council contemplated securing that institu-tion as a city hospital, his reply being that if such an idea existed these members were evidently under a mis-

cover their gas and water bills, in lieu of giving them tree gas and water. The amount appropriated to Mcmorial was and has continued to be \$500. Each year the Council has had its attention called to the fact that this sum was entirely inadequate.

Did Much Free Work.

"During 1910 Memorial Hospital paid into the city treasury \$2,020.02 for gas and water, and it asked for \$2,000. It did not ask the city to reimourse the hospital for the free treatment it has given its citizens, but to carry out the spirit of an ordinance

Homeless Man Walks Into Stationhouse and

Begs for Warm Place to

Sleep.

Inclement weather raged without, and william Lee, white and foriorn, walked into the First Police Station last night, and mournfully informed the desk sergeant that he had "no home nowhere in this wide, wide world," and would be, please, put him up in his best room—meaning the bullpen—for the night.

Lee is said to be a flichmond man, and, therefore, in the opinion of the desk sergeant should have had a home, or have known where he could get free longths.

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BERMUDA, ST. THOMAS, POTO RICO, PANAMA CANAL, JA. MAICA, CUBA.

\$125.00 Per Person and Upwards.

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There was no denying him, and in a cell as a vagrant he went.

"What you think I'll get?" he inquired cusually, as Policeman Folkes led him back to No. 4, "About fifteen

# THE SAVINGS BANK OF RICHMOND

HABIT IS THE STRONGEST Impulse in man. Then get the habit— of saving a part of your income. Let it increase at 3 per cent, compound

1117 East Main Street.

# CITY NOT LIKELY STORMS CONTRACT INSPECTOR BECK TO GET MEMORIAL FINALLY BROKEN FIRES ASSISTANT

Members of Council Who Had Material for Overhead Wire System in Depot, but City Won't Advance Freight.

## DR. ROBINS REVIEWS WORK LOSS ALREADY \$1,000 A WEEK WHARTON GETS THE PLACE

layed Since Early in November.

Worn out with delays which were costing the city more than \$1,000 per tricity last night revoked the contract of the city with Storms & Company, of Newark, N. J., for construction of the overhead distribution system for the municipal electric plant. The contract involved about \$65,000, and was based on the unit system, being approximately one-third completed. Consulting Engineer E. W. Trafford was instructed to get prices on wire, mast arms and other supplies, and to submit a report of the cost of labor and teams, so that the city may complete the work at the earliest possible date. Practically and the poles have been set.

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## TO ELECT DETECTIVE

Police Court Cases.
George Russell, colored, charged with stealing \$1.56 from the person of Eva May Walker, was sent on to the grand jury from Police Court yesterday morning. ing.

J. J. Hills, charged with stealing fifty pounds of lead from the Howell Brothers, was rentenced to sixly days leaf.

"I Am Not Running a Barroom," He Says, Regarding Dismissal of Butler.

Office, Sent Away on Short Notice.

First Deputy Building Inspector John E. Butler was removed from office yes-terday by Building Inspector Beck for absence from his post and dereliction

of the cost of labor and teams, so that the city may complete the work at the carliest possible date. Practically air of the poles have been set.

Wire Comes C. O. D.

Charles T. Taylor, representing slorms & Company, was heard at length. He exhibited a notice fronting Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad Company that a carload of whre was here, ready for delivery, but admitted that it had been have to put up about \$1,200 to get it from the railroad company. He also produced letters showing that twenty been shipped, but was able to give no definite assurance as to when the work would be completed, nor could he sumed unless the city would advance by the material as needed.

He asked payment of \$9,560 for work already done in January and February Engineer Trafford said that he was than \$3,000 for work in February had not contract, and that he could not certify iton. After representatives of the contract and that he could not certify iton. After representatives of the consulted with Assistant City Attorprocedure.

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Test Case Against J. D. Hooper Decided in Favor of Flower Farmers.

J. D. Hooper, who runs a flower stall in the Second Market, was brought into Police Court yesterday morning on a technical charge of obstructing the northwest corner at Sixth and Broad Streets with his stall, and was dismissed. It was a test case to determine whether the flower sellers should be required to pay the regular dues for market stalls or be exempt under the clause applying to farmers and truckers. He said that he was a flower farmer, and therefore entitled to the exemption.

He told the justice that he had naid \$147 two years ago for the stand he now occupies, and that he now pays 10 cents a day sanitation fax.

Justice Crutchfield, stating that he had already expressed an opinion, decilined to sit in the case, and Magistrate Wilbur Griggs sat in his stead.

### ASKS FOR ONE YEAR

John Micholas, Cocaine Seller, Suggests
II, and Recommendation is Accepted.
John Micholas, colored, indicted for
selling cocaine, pleaded guilty in the
Hustings Court yesterday, and asked
the court to discharge the jury.
"I pleads guilty," he said, "an' I
recommends that you give me one year
in the penitentiary,"
"I accept the recommendation," replied Judge Witt solemnly. "You are
sentenced to one year in the penitentiary, I hope you may return to liberty a better man."
William James Hood, colored, was
tried on a charge of housebreaking, William James 11000, colored, was tried on a charge of housebreaking, and was convicted and sentenced to two years in the penitentiary. He broke into the Watkins-Cottrell Hardware Company several weeks ago and stole more than \$100 worth of revolvers.

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George Strong, alias James Johnson, colored, charged with breaking into the house of Charles Jones and stealing clothes therefrom, had his case continued to February 10.

Still Picking Out Shot.
On account of the inability of W. T. Woody to appear in Police Court yesterds, morning, the case against W. T. Jandsey, charged with shooting Woody was continued to March 10.
It was said that doctors are still ringaged in picking birdshot out of Woody's back and arm.

## FOR QUICK CLEARANCE GANS-RADY COMPANY

Offer To-Day Broken Lots of

Men's Light Weight Overcoats ) Which Sold at Men's Heavy Weight Overcoats \$15, \$18 and \$20 Men's Cravenette Raincoats at \$10.75 Each

# FINDS REGIMENT TWENTYTHOUSAND FIT FOR WORK GIRLS WORK HERE

Battalion Turns Out With Good Twelve Thousand of This Num-Attendance for War Department Inspection.

Adarshall High School in connection with the operation of such institutions.

Taggart, "is in good ghape: I will not deny that I had rather anticipated seeing men who were somewhat deficient physically, but I will say now that they surprised me in this regard. I think every man in the battalion could stand hard, active service."

Major Taggart also expressed himself to the effect that the property which he inspected during the day, was in splendid condition. "Couldn't have been better," was his comment. His official report will be made to the War.

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A good showing was made in the matter of attendance. C Company had examination of the Blues to-morrow night. Last night's work begins the annual round of national inspection for Virginia, Major Taggart doing duty for all of the infantry.

### MILES NOT COMING

The interference of the first-boundary control of the control of t

ber Are Employed in Tobacco

Battalion, First Virginia Regiment, last aight. "Were I going into service, I would be willing to take every man, se far as I could see."

"The mond Educational Association last aight had Miss Florence M. Marshall, it Boston, director of the Girls' Trade ducation League, speak in the John Marshall High School in connection with the country of the connection with the country of the connection with the country of the country

### DRYING-ROOM FIRE

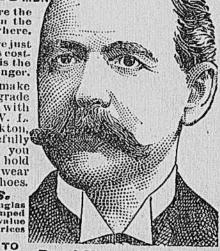
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